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Remuneration for extra work done by the prisoners

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4 From the D.G. of Prisons Mdy Sir

No 929 dt 26.6.27
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State that for reasons that the System of remuneration for extra work done by prisoners in the Jails, the State may be treated for another year on the present line.

Draft Govt Order.

Please pass typed draft

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Typed draft placed

First Member

5 To The D.G. of Prisons Mdy

The Comptroller to Govt

No 9934-5 dt 26.7.27

Directed that the System remuneration for extra work done by Prisoners in the Jails be treated for a period of another year.

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No. 43-26 Office of the Inspector-General of Prisons in Mysore,
Dated Bangalore, 20th June 1927.

From

Dr. B. Mahomed Usmon, L.M.S.,

Inspector-General of Prisons

in Mysore, Bangalore.

To

R.Ranga Rao, Esqr., B.A., B.L.,

General Secretary to the Government of H.H. the

Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

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Sir,

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With reference to the Government Order No.G.8268-9 / Pris.48-25-3 dated 8th April 1926 re: the introduction of a system of remuneration for extra work done by prisoners in th Jails of the State, I have the honour to forward herewith copies of letters Nos. 833/F.110 and 547 dated 19th May and 15th June 1927 from the Superintendent of Bangalore Central and Mysore Jails respectively showing how the scheme has work during the period of one year since its introduction in the Jails. From the reports of the two Jails it is seen that onl 15 convicts in the Central Jail and 1 convict in the Mysore Ja took advantage of the benefit offered to them. The Superinten of the Bangalore Central Jail is of opinion that it will be a better incentive to greater exertion on the part of a larger number of prisoners if the present rate of remuneration is doubled without any alteration in the rate of conversion of the same into remission. The scheme may however be tried for another year on the present lines as it is too early to propos any alteration.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

B Mahomed

Inspector-General of Prisons.

Letter No. 833/F.-110 dated 19th May 1927 from the Superintendent, Central Jail, Bangalore, to the Inspector-General of Prisons in Mysore, B a n g a l o r e.

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With reference to correspondence ending with your Memo No. 614-5/43-26 dated the 15th April 1926 calling for a report on the working of the scheme for remunerating prisoners for extra work done by them, I have the honour to state that the scheme has been worked for one year and only 15 convicts have taken advantage of the benefits offered by it.

2. The highest remuneration earned by any convict was Rs. 3-12-0 and the lowest was 1 anna. The total amour earned by all the 15 convict s was Rs. 10-9-0. Two convicts who had earned the remuneration, requested that their remuneration may be converted into remission and the same was allowed.

3. So far as could be made out, prisoners are more inclined towards remission than money payment and it is likely that this feeling may be due to the remuneration allowed according to Government Proceedings No.G.8268-9/ Pris 48-25-3 dated the 8th April 1926 being pitched very low and the task work pitched high. It strikes me that doubling the remuneration without altering the present rat of conversion might act as a better incentive to greater exertion on the part of a larger number of prisoners. Anyw the scheme may be tried for another two years with increas remuneration.

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Letter No. 547 dated 13th June 1927 from the Superintendent, Mysore Jail, Mysore, to the Inspector-General of Prisons in Mysore, Bangalore.

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With reference to your Memo No. 614-5/43-26 dated the 15th April 1926 giving cover to G.O.No. G. 8268-9/ Pris. 48-25-43 dated the 8th idem, re: the working of the scheme of remunerating convicts for extra work done by them, I have the honour to state that the benefits of these rules were duly read over and explained to the prisoners and although they were daily urged to take advantage of them, they are incapable of doing so, as the terms of their imprisonments were too short to enable them to become master men in their crafts. So far only one man as noted in the margin has obtained any benefits therefrom.

Under the circumstances, I am of opinion that the provisions and benefits of these rules may not be applicab to this Jail.

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"C O P I E S"

Memo

Inspector-General of Prisons.
20th June 1927.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF
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1. Government Order No. G.8268-9/Pri
48-25-3, dated the 8th April 1926 sanctio
ing for a period of one year, the system
remuneration for extra work done by priso
ers in the Jails in the State and calling
for a report at the end of that period as
how it works.

2. Letter No. 929/43-26, dated the 2(
June 1927, from the Inspector-General of
Prisons in Mysore forwarding the report ca
ed for in the Government Order read above
and stating that 15 convicts in the Bangal
Central Jail and 1 in the Mysore District
Jail took advantage of the benefit offered
to them.

ORDER No. G 934-5

BANGALORE, DATED 26 JULY 1927.

The Superintendent, Bangalore Central
Jail, is of opinion that it will be an
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a large number of prisoners if the present
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same into remission. But the Inspector-
General of Prisons considers that it is
early to propose any alteration . He recom
mends that the scheme may be tried for ano
ther year. Government are pleased to acc
the recommendation of the Inspector-Genera

ions and direct that the scheme

ed for a period of another year

2 GENERAL SECRETARY TO GOVT

The I.-G. of Prisons in Mysor

The Comptroller to Government